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THE COPARTNERSHIP carried on here under the Firm of Messrs. BUCHAN, HUNTER, & CO. Woollen-Drapers in Edinburgh, was this day DISSOLVED by the unanimous consent of the Partners. Mr Francis Buchanan Sydeserff being got right to the Stock and Debts of the Company, the Company's Creditors will be settled with on calling at his Shop, front of the Royal Exchange—and those indebted to the Company, will please order payment of their accounts to him.

FRA. BUCHAN SYDESERFF,
DAVID HUNTER.

EDINBURGH, October 3, 1798.
THE COPARTNERSHIP carried on under the firm of Messrs. Buchanan, Hunter, and Co. Woollen Drapers in Edinburgh, having been dissolved by the unanimous consent of the Partners, Mr BUCHAN SYDESERFF takes the liberty of informing his Friends and the Public, that he is to continue the Business on his own account, and requests a continuance of their favours.

ADVERTISEMENT.
WANTS a Situation in or near Edinburgh, as Governor in a Family, or as an Assistant in a Gentleman's Boarding School, the former would be preferred. The Young Lady is a native of London, in which metropolis she received the greatest part of her education; and who, it is hoped, will be found qualified for either of the above situations. For particulars, application may be made to Mrs. More, at her Muslin Ware Room, Nicolson Street, Edinburgh; or to Miss Jack, at Mrs. Wilson's Boarding School, Saville Place, Newcastle upon Tyne.

Edinburgh, Oct. 10, 1798.

JOSEPH THORNBURN,
Hawker Street, Edinburgh.
INFORMS his Customers and the Public, That part of his TEAS are now arrived; though rather dearer, the quality is most excellent. The Teas he would particularly recommend from last Sale is Black, at 5s. 5d. and finest Souchong, at 6s. Hyson, 8s. and 9s.—T. T. begs to observe that the above Teas were picked out and bought under his own inspection, while in London, and which he can with confidence recommend.

Sugars with Tea at Prime Cost. Fresh Coffee, Cocoa and Chocolate, for Ready Money. The same Teas sold, and orders taken at his shop, Dalkeith.

NEW TEAS OF VERY SUPERIOR QUALITIES,
To be SOLD for ready money, at very low prices, by
SHEPPARD, SOUTH BRIDGE STREET,
EDINBURGH.
The following Teas he recommends as the cheapest:
Superfine Congo, 4s. 6d. with fine Congo, 4s. per lb.
Fine Souchong, 5s. Superfine, 5s. 6d. Superior, 6s. do.
Fine Bloom Tea, 5s. Superfine, 5s. 6d. do.
Fine Hyson Green, 6s. Superfine, 7s. Superior, 8s. do.
Superfine Ceylon Gunpowder Tea, 10s. do.
Very best Congo Leaf Tea, 3s. 6d. do.
Dealers supplied on the lowest terms possible.

N. B. A few small painted Pots of very fine Shousheng Tea, about 10 pound in each, at 6s. per lb.
Very best Hyson in ditto ditto, at 8s. ditto.

DUNG TO LET.
To be LET by public roup, at the house of Robert Hogg, stables in Bristo Street, on Wednesday the 24th current, at five o'clock afternoon, for four years from Martinmas next, **THE DUNG** or **FULZIE** of that large district of Laurieston and Tiviot-dow, extending from the strand at Bristo Street to Two-penny Custom.

Laurieston, 11th October, 1798.

TURNIPS TO LET.
To be LET at the Farms of Long Newton and Kidlaw, in the Parish of Yester and County of East Lothian,
ABOUT THIRTY ACRES OF GOOD TURNIPS, for feeding Sheep upon the ground.
For further particulars inquiry may be made at the Mains of Long Newton.

TO FARMERS AND DEALERS IN CATTLE.
There is to be LET at Fairy Green, in the county of Perth, parish of Carraig,
A FIELD OF TURNIP, with the Hay and Fodder of that Farm of the present crop, where there are byres, straw-yard, with shades, &c. for the accommodation of cattle. Application to be made to Mr Drummond of Gairdram, at Bannan, before the 30th cur.

SALMON FISHING TO LET.
To be LET, for nineteen years, or such other period as can be agreed on, and entered to on December 1st 1798,
THE SALMON-FISHING on the Water of CONON, with the cruives and cor-houses thereto belonging, lying in the parish of Urquhart, and shire of Cromarty.
For further particulars, enquire at Mr Duncan, writer to the signet, Edinburgh, to whom proposals for taking the above Fishing may be given in. Any not accepted of shall be kept secret, if desired.

SALE OF LANDS IN ABERDEENSHIRE
ADJOURNED,
BY desire of intending purchasers, the sale of the Lands and Estate of TYRIE, &c. is ADJOURNED to the 23d of November next.

ESCAPED FROM BURNISLAND JAIL,
On the evening of the 4th instant or early on the morning of the 5th

BELL GRIEVE, who was confined on a charge of Child-murder.
The said Bell Grieve is about 20 years of age, of a middle size, thin faced, fair complexion, with light brown hair—says she was born in Edinburgh, and daughter to John Grieve, smith in the Grass Market.
Whoever shall apprehend the said Bell Grieve, and lodge her in any sure jail, or give such information as may lead to her apprehension, shall receive Five Guineas of reward, upon applying to any one of the Magistrates.

TOBACCO, AND OTHER GOODS, BY AUCTION.
By virtue of a Commission of Appraisal and Sale, issued from the High Court of Admiralty of England,
THERE will be exposed to public sale, on Friday the 26th October current, to begin at twelve o'clock noon, within the Warehouses of William Sibbald and Company, merchants, Leith, upon such conditions as will be then produced,
THE FOLLOWING GOODS—viz.
About 1800 Mats UKRAIN TOBACCO,
— 23 Casks ditto.
— 120 Casks WOOD ASHES,
— 98 Pieces of WAINECOT,
— 740 Small ditto, and
— 248 SPARS.
Being the Cargo of the Ship called the Catharina Elizabeth Swart, Ebbe Klauson Mulder master, lately taken by his Majesty's frigate Iris, George Briscoe, Esq. Commander, and Lord Hood Armed ship, John Lamour, Esq. commander.
Catalogues will be issued at the counting-house of William Sibbald and Company, and the cargo may be viewed any day in the week of sale.

TO COAL MASTERS.
DAVID ROSS, a Collier, belonging to Niddrey Coal Works, aged 28 years, about 5 feet 10 inches high, flaxen hair, and marked a little with the small pox, after running greatly in debt to the Proprietor, deserted the Works, leaving a wife and family behind him. The Proprietor therefore hopes that no Coal Master will, after this public notice, continue to employ him; and that information will be given where he is at present employed, by a letter addressed to Mr William Thomson, Niddrey Coal Works, near Edinburgh, in order that he may be apprehended and brought back to his former service.

WILLIAM RICHARDSON,
(Late Acting Partner of BUCHAN, HUNTER, and Co.)
WOOLLEN DRAPER, HATTER, & HOSIER,
BEGS leave to acquaint his Friends and the Public, that he has **BEGUN BUSINESS** for himself, at his Ware House opposite the King's Arms Tavern, High Street,—of his Stock which will be all New and Fresh, he has received
CLOTHS, WAISTCOATS, BREECHES STUFFS, HATS, &c. &c.

Besides these, which are the General Articles of the Trade, he has got
ROYAL PATENT WATER PROOF CLOTHS, SCARLET, BLUE, MIXTURE, and PLAIN COLOURS.
The Coat will be a mere trifle more than the ordinary Super-fines, and they are Neat Cloths.
SILK WATER PROOF HATS.
are sold in general at 25s. R. can afford them at a Guinea, best quality.
Navy Blue Superfine Cloths, made on purpose, very fine Military articles, on low terms.
India Muslin, for Neckcloths.
Blankets and Flannels, very cheap.

A SPY-GLASS FOUND.
Found on Leith Links about ten days ago,
A SPY GLASS—Whoever can prove it their property, by applying to Alexander Fraser, Fife's-hill Barracks, will have it restored, paying all expenses.
SCALE SUGARS by the last fleet, on Sale in Hhds at Walker Thomson, and Co's
Leith, 10th October 1798.

ENGLISH APPLES.
Just arrived, after a fine passage,
A CARGO OF ENGLISH APPLES, consisting of
RENNETTS, ROUSSETS, and BAKING APPLES.
To be Sold by John Kerr, in a loft above the Weigh-house, Bernard Street, Leith.
Leith, October 8th 1798.

STIRLING AND LINLITHGOW-SHIRE HUNT.
A MEETING of the Members is to be held at Forrester's in Linlithgow, on Monday the 15th inst.
Sir JAMES DALYELL, of Binns, Bart. Preses.
J. Boyd, Secretary.

COUNTY OF Ayr.
Ayr, 2d October, 1798.
AT the MICHAELMAS MEETING of the Freeholders of the County of Ayr, assembled at the Head Court, WILLIAM CUNNINGHAM, Esq. of Lainshaw, Preses. The following RESOLUTIONS were moved by David Boyle, Esq. Advocate, and seconded by John Hamilton, Esq. of Sundrum, and unanimously agreed to—
I. RESOLVED, That this Meeting taking into consideration the present state of the law of Scotland with respect to bail, is decidedly of opinion, that the sums for which bail is appointed to be found by persons apprehended for criminal offences under the authority of the Statute, 1703, c. 6. and of that of the 11th of Geo. I. c. 25, however adequate they may have been to the state of this country, at the periods of the enactment of these respective statutes, bear at present no proper relation to the circumstances of the times, the situation of individuals, and the general advancement of the country.
II. That it is the opinion of this Meeting, that the smallness of the sums allowed to be taken as security in bailable offences, under authority of the statutes above mentioned, so far from only serving as a protection from the hardship of unnecessary imprisonment, has in fact a direct tendency to bring into contempt the authority of the Magistrate, and to render the most salutary laws nugatory and defective, by affording a temptation and facility to the commission of the most dangerous and atrocious offences, with comparative impunity.
III. That this Meeting, convinced of the great and serious evils resulting to the country at large from the present state of the law of Scotland with respect to bail, as evinced by the numberless escapes from the justice of the laws, of persons accused of the most dangerous and atrocious offences, is of opinion, that an amendment in this department of the law, is now peculiarly necessary and expedient.
IV. That this Meeting, in full reliance upon the wisdom of the Legislature, do therefore resolve, that copies of the foregoing Resolutions be signed and transmitted by the Preses, to the Right Hon. the Earls of Eglinton, Cassilis, Dumfries, and Glasgow, to Col. Fullarton of Fullerton, the member of Parliament for this county, and to John Campbell, Esq. the member of Parliament for this district of Burghs; and that the Preses do request, in the name of this Meeting, that they will give their support to any bill that may be introduced into either House of Parliament, for the purpose of altering and amending the present law of Scotland, with respect to bail in criminal offences.

It was moved by Mr Hamilton of Sundrum, and seconded by Mr Cunningham of Enterkine, and unanimously agreed to, that the thanks of the Meeting be given to Mr Boyle for his having brought forward the above resolutions upon this occasion.
WILLIAM CUNNINGHAM, Preses.
Extracted by
WM. EATON, Clerk.
FIVE TOLLS.
THE Clerks to the Trustees for making and repairing the Turnpike Roads in the County of Fife, requests the attendance of the said Trustees at a GENERAL MEETING, to be held within the County-room at Cupar on Friday the 12th of October current, at twelve o'clock noon, when
THE TOLLS AND DUTIES
Leviable at the several Toll Gates within the said County will be exposed to public roup—to be set in tack for one year from and after the 11th day of November next.
The articles of roup are in the hands of Mr Horsburgh, Cupar, and information on the subject may be procured from the respective District Clerks. THOS. HORSBURGH, Clk.

TO CREDITORS.
A DIVIDEND from the Estate of ROBERTSON and BALVAIRD, late merchants in Edinburgh, will be paid at the shop of Mr Archibald Anderson, No. 41, South Bridge Street, on Monday the 15th instant, from ten to two o'clock.
Edinburgh, 9th October, 1798.

AT LEITH—FOR LONDON,
The Union Shipping Company's Armed Smack, **KELSO PACKET,** Robt. Moor Master, and **COLDSTREAM PACKET,** F. Ord, Master.
Will take in goods, the Kelso till to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock; and the Coldstream till Tuesday evening at six o'clock, when they will sail.
Union Shipping Co's Office, Leith, 11th October, 1798.

AT LEITH—FOR LONDON,
The Old Shipping Company's Smack **LONDON PACKET,** JOHN RAMSAY, Master.
Will take in goods till Saturday afternoon at five o'clock, when she will sail.
Old Shipping Co's Office, Leith, October 10, 1798.

AT LEITH—FOR HAMBURG,
THE TRAFICKER, **RICHARD YULE** Master.
Will be ready to receive goods the 15th inst. and will sail without loss of time, with convoy.
For freight or passage, apply to the Master, or
LEITH, Oct. 9, 1798. WM. SIBBALD & CO.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC ROUN,
Within the Ship Coffeehouse, Leith, on Friday the 12th October, betwixt the hours of twelve and one o'clock,
THE SLOOP LADY CHARLOTTE, with Boat, &c. presently lying in Leith Harbour, conform to inventory.
The vessel was built at Kirkcaldy in 1795, measures, per register 53, and carries about 70 tons, is in good order, and well found.
For particulars apply to William Glover, Leith, who can conclude a private bargain. Sept. 29, 1798.
Same time will be Sold,
Two CABLES, 8½ inch, about eighty-five fathoms each.

MR RUSSEL will open a course of **CLINICAL LECTURES** on the Practice of Surgery, at the Royal Infirmary, in the beginning of November.

FARMS IN ANGUS-SHIRE TO LET.
To be Let and entered to at Martinmas next.
THE Following FARMS of the ESTATE of CARSE, viz.
I.—BANKHEAD, consisting of 100 acres arable,
II.—COTTON, of about 121 acres.
III.—QUILKAE, about 290 acres.
These Farms lie in the vicinity of Forfar, and of marle. Bankhead has an excellent farm house and offices, and will be set for nineteen years certain, and after, for one or two lives.

The other two farms are already upon good lives, and will therefore be let for the endurance of them.
Mr Greenhill at Old Montrose, by Montrose, will receive offers in grassum, or additional rents, as offerers incline.

LANDS AND HOUSE IN EAST LOTHIAN TO LET.
To be Let for such a number of years as can be agreed upon, and entered to at Martinmas next.
I. These Lands of DODRIDGE LAWS, consisting of about 34 acres Scots measure of arable land, all presently in grass.
II. That House in ORMISTOWN, with the garden, stable, and other offices thereto belonging, as lately possessed by Major Douglas.
If more convenient for a tenant, immediate access can be given to the house and offices.
For further particulars apply to Mr James Yule at Ormistown; to whom or to Mr Keith, accountant in Edinburgh, proposals for a lease of either of the above subjects may be given in.

A FARM IN EAST LOTHIAN.
To be Let, for Nineteen years from Whitunday next, **THE FARM OF CRAIGIELAW,** presently possessed by Mr James Begbie, consisting of about 330 Scots acres, in excellent condition and agreeably situated on the sea side, six miles from Haddington.
The farm may be seen, and particulars learned by applying to Mr Begbie.
Proposals to be made to Messrs. Alexander and Colin Mackenzie, W. S. Edinburgh, or Mr Fraser, Sheriff-clerk of Haddington, before Martinmas next, when the proprietor intends at latest to conclude a bargain; and such offers as are not accepted will be concealed.

FARMS IN STIRLINGSHIRE TO LET.
FROM Four to Six Hundred Acres of ARABLE LAND, together or separately, lying near the great road betwixt Linlithgow and Falkirk; and for such a number of years as can be agreed upon.
For particulars, apply to Thomas Livingston, Esq. of Parkhall, the proprietor, at Clarkston House, or Hugh Smyth Mercer, W. S.

SALE OF LANDS IN THE COUNTIES OF HADDINGTON, PEEBLES, AND SELKIRK.
To be Sold by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, the 21st of November, 1798, at one o'clock afternoon,
THE LIFE INTEREST OF ALEXANDER LORD ELLI-BANK, in the Lands and others after-mentioned, viz. IN THE COUNTY OF HADDINGTON, EAST LOTHIAN.

The Lands and BARNY OF BALLENCRIEFF, with the Mansion-house, Garden, Hot-house, Parks and others, as presently possessed by John McLeod of Collieston, Esq. Also the Lands of BALLENCRIEFF MAINS, Myreton, Lochmell, Redhouse, Stantlane, Prora, Gladsuir and others, with the Houses in the village of Ballencrieff, and pertinents of the same and growing Timber on the Estate. The Timber consists of Oak, Ash, Scots and English Elm, Beech, Fir, and other trees of various dimensions and ages, and part thereof is of great value.

The mansion-house is large and commodious, and in complete repair. The hot-house and garden are also in good condition, and the garden stocked with trees of the best kinds.
The free rent of these lands is at present L. 2000 Sterling per annum, but at the expiry of the current lease, a very considerable rise may be expected. The greatest part of the lands lie in the most fertile part of the County of East Lothian.

IN THE COUNTY OF PEEBLES.
THE ESTATE OF BLACKBARRONY, comprehending the Lands and Mansion-house of DARNHALL, with the Parks thereof, Garden, Pleasure Grounds, &c. all as presently possessed by Sir Archibald Gordon Kinloch, Bart. Also the LANDS of HATTINKNOW, Darnhall Mains, Eddleston, Mill and Mill Lands, with the Customs of the Fair, and Patronage of the Church of Eddleston, also the houses in the village and growing Timber on the estate, which is of considerable value, and consists of Ash, Oak, Limes, &c.—Likewise the Lands of Kinglands, lying in the town of Peebles. The Mansion-house of Darnhall is also large and commodious, the situation is dry, and there are fine troutling rivers, and plenty of game in the neighbourhood—the present rent of these lands is near L. 600 per annum, but at the expiry of some of the leases, a considerable rise of rent will be got.

IN THE COUNTY OF SELKIRK.
The Lands and Tenantry of ELLIBANK, as presently possessed by William Laidlaw, at the rent of 200l. Sterling per annum. These lands are of great extent, are situated on the banks of the river Tweed, and are remarkable for excellent sheep pasture. There is a most thriving natural wood on the lands, consisting of Oak, Birch, and others, and which will be fit for cutting a few years hence.

The lands in each of the three counties will either be exposed in one lot, or in such smaller lots as may be most agreeable to purchasers; and it is proposed that the timber on the estate of Ballencrieff shall be sold along with the house, garden and grounds presently possessed by Mr McLeod, and that the timber on the estate of Darnhall shall be sold along with the mansion-house, garden, and parks of Darnhall, presently possessed by Mr Archibald Gordon Kinloch, but subject always to such future arrangements as may appear to be more agreeable to purchasers. The estate in East Lothian, with a particular rental thereof, will be shown by Mr Fraser, Sheriff-clerk of Haddington, and the estate in the counties of Peebles and Selkirk, by Mr Needham at Whitelaw Bank, near Darnhall.

Any person wanting further information, and to see the conditions of sale, state of the current leases, plans, &c. may apply to Messrs. Alexander Duncan, and James Walker, writers to the signet at Edinburgh.

FARMS TO BE LET IN BERWICKSHIRE.
THE FARM OF COCKLAW, situated between Berwick Eyemouth, and Ayrton, containing about 230 acres.
The FARM OF CAIRNCHESTER, adjoining to Cocklaw, and situated between it and Berwick, containing about 190 acres.

Both of these farms, which will be let either together or separately, according to the offers, are well inclosed, and in a high state of improvement, the greater part being in Grass, all of which was sowed with the first crop after Turnip or Fallow, and more than a third part of the Tillage Land is now in Turnip.

The FARM OF LAVEROCK-LAW, containing 612 acres being part of what was the Common of Coldingham, of which about 250 acres were a good many years ago improved with lime and other manure, and having been sown with grass seeds with the first crop after turnip, have been pasture ever since.
Those who may intend to offer for any or all of these Farms may send their offers under sealed covers, directed to Mr Fordeyce at Ayrton, at any time before the 22d of next month, when it is intended to let the Farms; and the rents offered, with the names of the offerers, shall be concealed, if that be desired.
26th September, 1798.

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This Day are Published,
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This Abstracter has been made with the utmost attention to preserve the nautical accuracy, the fidelity, and the interest of the Original Work. Not an iota of real importance has been omitted. The Publisher is not without hopes, that, in simple elegance, in the arrangement of the materials, and in the general beauty of composition, it will be found not a little to excel the original.—In the preface is included a view of whatever is materially important in the Account of the Voyage of Vancouver.

Published for Thomas Brown, Edinburgh; W. Coke, Leith; Brash and Reid, Glasgow; T. Hill, Perth; A. Brown, Aberdeen; G. Milne, Dundee; G. Murray, Montrose; W. Boyd, Dumfries; Embleton, Berwick-on-Tweed; and W. Halgarth, jun. South Shields.

HOUSE AND FARMS IN MID LOTHIAN TO LET.
To LET and entered into at Martinmas next, for what term of years as shall be agreed upon.

THE HOUSE AND ENCLOSURES OF BELLFIELD, with the FARMS of WEST LANTON adjoining.
Bellfield contains 65½ Scots acres, is divided into eight inclosures, all arable land, except a few strips of old planting. The farm of West Lanton contains 61½ Scots acres, of arable land, including about 1½ acres of old planting. This farm is also inclosed and subdivided into five inclosures.

These Farms are situated 12 miles west from Edinburgh, and about half a mile south of the great road by Mid Calder to Glasgow, and within 1½ mile of Raw-camp Lime-works—They will be let together or separately as may be afterwards agreed upon.

Offers in writing may be given in to Hugh Bremner, accountant in Edinburgh, or to Mr. Kenneth Spence, at Dalnashy who will show the farms and inform as to particulars.

TO BE SOLD.
By public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 31st day of October current, between the hours of one and two o'clock afternoon—

THE WHOLE DEBTS due to the estate of the deceased Mr GEORGE CHALMERS of Pittencrieff, merchant in Edinburgh, amounting to the sum of L. 10,721:11:11 Sterling, to be exposed at the upset price of L. 80 Sterling.

II. The WHOLE ARREARS of RENT upon the Estate of Pittencrieff, amounting to L. 1,275:5:2 and the Arrears upon the Coal of Pittencrieff, amounting to L. 2,054:7:5 To be exposed to sale at the upset price of L. 50 Sterling.

III. The WHOLE ARREARS of RENT due upon the Subjects in the Royal Exchange of Edinburgh, which belonged to the said George Chalmers, amounting to L. 87:17:9; to be exposed to sale at the upset price of L. 6 Sterling.

Lists of the Debts and arrears, with the articles and conditions of roup, are to be seen in the hands of James Gibson, W. S.

TO CREDITORS.
THE Trustees on the sequestrated Estates of JOHN WEMYSS and SONS, merchants in Dundee, as a Company, and of Thomas Wemyss and Walter Wemyss, the partners of that Company, as individuals, hereby intimates to the Creditors that an offer has been made to him by some of Thomas Wemyss's friends, to take off his whole furniture at a valuation, or at a sum as may be agreed on. The Trustees therefore request a meeting of the creditors in the house of Alexander Morren, vintner in Dundee, on Wednesday, 24th October current at 12 o'clock noon, to consider of this offer, and give directions thereon; and also as to the remainder of Walter Wemyss's furniture as yet undisposed of. And in case the lands of Laureston and Trottick, which are advertised for sale, to take place on the 17th inst. are not then sold, the trustee and commissioners will most likely need the advice of the creditors as to their further procedure respecting these lands.—It is therefore hoped the meeting will be attended to.

Dundee, 5th Oct. 1798.

TO THE CREDITORS OF
The deceased ROBERT ALBURN of Wester Craigfootie, some time merchant in London.

WHEREAS by the decease of Mr Alexander Nairne, Accountant in Edinburgh, trustee for the said creditors, that office devolved upon Mr. Keith, accountant in Edinburgh, who has signified his intention of declining to accept: The whole creditors of the said Robert Alburn are therefore requested to meet by themselves or their doers properly authorised, within John's Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 17th day of October next, at one o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of choosing another trustee or trustees, in place of Mr Nairne, and to authorise such person or persons so to be chosen as trustee or trustees, to take such legal measures as shall be thought proper for carrying the trust deed into execution, and winding up the trust affairs.

LANDS IN PERTHSHIRE.
To be Sold by public auction, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, on Thursday the 15th day of November next at 6 o'clock afternoon.

THE LANDS AND ESTATE OF KINCARDINE, with the extensive Woods thereof, and certain Crofts, within the Burgh of Ochterader, lying in the parishes of Blackford and Ochterader, and shire of Perth, halfway between Perth and Stirling.

The Lands are of great extent, and capable, as the lands of that vicinity are well known to be, of very great improvement at a moderate expence; and there are excellent situations for a mansion-house, and great scope for laying out pleasure ground.

The present rent is about 420l. and the lease expires at 1802. It affords a freehold qualification in the county.
The title-deeds, rentals, and leases are in the hands of Mr Campbell, St. James's Square, to whom any offer for a private bargain, previous to the day of sale, may be sent.

THE HOOPING-COUGH

BEING at this time very prevalent in London, and most parts of the country, the following is one of the many respectable testimonies, which cannot be too public, of the uncommon and extraordinary virtues of WALSHE'S ANTI-PERTUSSIS, a Medicine of unparalleled efficacy in the above complaint; as also for the relief and cure of Coughs, Catarrhs, Asthma, Sore Throat, Spitting of Blood, approaching Consumptions, &c.

Chitwynd Park, October 7.

"Mrs L. is happy to inform Mr WALSHE, his medicine for the Hooping Cough has restored her two children. The youngest, an infant one year old, had the disorder very severely, but has gradually recovered since she first took the Anti-pertussis: It is now reduced to the last spoonful. Begs he will send her another 12s. bottle, as she wishes to give it them some time longer, directed to Mrs L. Chitwynd Park, Newport, Shropshire.—By permission of Mrs L. the original may be seen.

The proprietor herewith subjoins the names of other persons high in respectability, who have experienced the wonderful effects of his medicine:—

Mrs Anderson, Edinburgh, Mr Newton, Stafford,
Lady Lilford, Sir Benjamin Tobbs,
Lady St John, Countess Norton Street,
Lady Gray, Mr Justice Collick,
Lady Charles Spencer, General Garth,
Lady Saxton, Gen. Osborn, Lincolnshire,
Lady Vernon, Putney, Captain Madden,
Lady of P. Thelluson, Esq. M.P. C. Dickenson, Blackheath.

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VIENNA, SEP. 19.

(FROM THE COURT GAZETTE.)

"The last advices from Turkey announce, that towards the latter end of July, General Buonaparte defeated the army of the Beys of Egypt, and advanced afterwards against Cairo.

"Letters from Constantinople of the 31st ult. also contain intelligence, that the Russian fleet, consisting of 12 sail of the line and several smaller vessels, were then in sight from that city, near the entrance of the Black Sea, and was expected there by the first fair wind, to proceed from thence into the Mediterranean."

A frigate is arrived at Trieste to carry General Mack to Naples, where he is to have the chief command of the army.

The march of the Russians has not been countermanded. They are 60,000 in number; the first division of which, 30,000, were expected at Tschern on the 20th. The van-guard is already arrived in Bohemia. Besides the 60,000, 40,000 are to be collected on the frontiers of Poland, to make as it were a body of reserve. The march of another body of Russians through Moldavia and Wallachia, against Widdin, is fully confirmed.

The Porte has received information, that the Arabs had had the imprudence to attack Buonaparte in his entrenchments, in which attempt they suffered very much, but the French also suffered greatly.

Buonaparte has occupied Cairo with 6000 of his best troops. He has lost many men by sickness.

CONSTANTINOPLE, SEP. 2.

We yesterday enjoyed an unexpected and splendid fight. The Russian fleet from the Black Sea failed by the fragility, and through the canal, to the Archipelago. The fleet has on board 4000 troops. Admiral Nelson, however, having totally destroyed the French fleet, the Russians are expected first to attack the c-dw-ent Venetian islands, and, after taking them, to attack Malta.

ITALY, SEP. 16.

War is expected soon to take place between France and Naples. The latter power has 80,000 men under arms. More French troops are marching against the frontiers of Naples, where, in addition to the army already on foot, 50,000 militia are raising.

PARIS, Sept. 16.

The three French frigates which conveyed General Humbert and his troops to Ireland, have all returned safe to Bourdeaux; and the officer who commanded the division has brought back with him four beautiful horses, which were given him in a present by the United Irishmen.

From Balle we learn, that the war with the Insurgents in Underwald is completely ended.—The Swiss defended themselves desperately, and obliged the French to retreat several times, but after twelve hours fighting, were obliged to surrender, with all their ammunition, &c. In the town of Stanz only sixteen houses were left standing, and several other places were laid in ashes.

FORGERY ON THE BANK.

By a Gentleman who arrived in town on Saturday night from Lancashire, we are informed of the following particulars respecting the fabrication of counterfeit bank-notes to a great extent:—

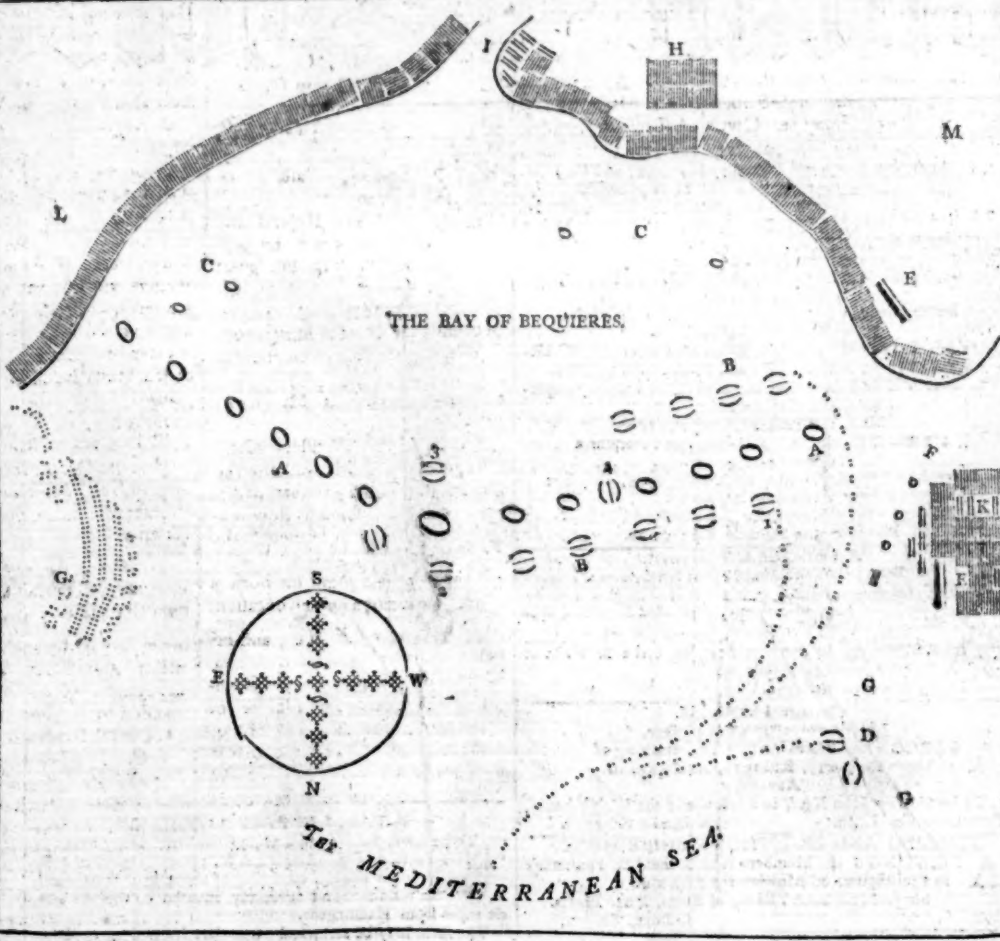
In consequence of forged bank-notes being put in circulation in different parts of Lancashire, measures were taken to trace from whence they had been issued; and a variety of circumstances transpired to mark out Mr —, as an object of suspicion; and as the enquiry was pursued, seeming proofs of his guilt multiplied.

On Wednesday last, a number of Peace Officers went to his house at Whiston, near Prescot, Lancashire, and took him into custody, on the premises they seized the copperplates from which the forged notes appear to have been printed, together with a number of counterfeiters in various stages, some with complete impressions, and others in an unfinished state, and also different tools, supposed to have been made use of in forming and graving the plates, besides paper resembling that issued by the Bank; ink, a rolling press, and, in short, every implement and material necessary for carrying on this nefarious employment.

After a long examination before a Magistrate, Mr — was committed to goal for a further hearing.—Two gentlemen holding situations under the Governor and Company of the Bank, and some other persons, are gone to Prescot to attend the second examination of the prisoner.

A letter from Citizen Tallien to his wife in France, points out numerous hardships they have encountered. Every Frenchman here asserts, that the Directory with Buonaparte dead, and for that purpose sent him here with this army. I read a letter from Buonaparte's son to his mother, in which he states he never saw Buonaparte so low spirited as he is at present. General Berthier says in one of his letters, that this is the first time the great General has been soiled, and fears a revolution in the army will be the consequence. This late victory of the English is the most fatal blow that France has experienced this war."

PLAN of the BATTLE of the NILE, fought on the 1st and 2d of August 1798, between the BRITISH FLEET, commanded by Rear Admiral Sir HORATIO NELSON, K. B. and the FRENCH FLEET, commanded by Vice Admiral BRUZZE, in Bequieres Bay, on the Coast of Egypt.



EXPLANATION.

A—French Line of Battle.
B—British Line of Battle.
C—French Frigates.
D—The Coludon on shore, as the was leading the first division.
E—Batteries which annoyed our ships very much as they led into action.
F—French Gun-boats, moored ahead of the fleet.

G—Shoals.
H—The town of Aboukir.
I—Mouth of the Nile.
K—Fort Island.
L—The coast towards Rosetta.
M—The coast towards Alexandria.

3. The Alexander.
4. The Leander, which dropped her anchor in the middle of the enemy's line, two ships ahead of L'Orient, and raked on each side.

1. The Vanguard.
2. The Bellerophon.

The British ships are thus designed.
The French thus.

The leading division of the British headed Le Guerrier, the van ship of the French line. Five of our ships went ahead, and brought up on the land side of the French. The Admiral's own division anchored on the off-side of the French—thus placing their line to the first ship ahead of L'Orient, which formed the centre and angle of the French line, between two fires. The ships in the rear in the French line were, for some hours, mere idle spectators of the action, till some of our ships, disengaged in the van, led down to attack them.

Le Guillaume Tell and Le Genereux, the two rear ships of the

French line escaped. L'Orient and Le Timoleon were burnt, and the remaining nine line of battle ships remained prizes to the British. La Serieuse frigate was sunk. L'Artemise was burnt; and La Diane and Le Justice escaped.

Upon the Coludon grounding, the Alexander and Leander were sent to her assistance, to endeavour to get her off. Finding this impracticable, the Alexander made sail, and took her station on the side of L'Orient, opposite to the Bellerophon, and the Leander dropped into the position represented above.

BRITISH LINE.

		<i>Guns.</i>	<i>Mens.</i>
Culloden,	Capt. T. Troubridge,	74	590
Theseus,	— R. W. Miller,	74	590
Alexander,	— A. J. Ball,	74	590
Vanguard,	{ Rear Admiral Sir Horatio Nelson, K. B. }	74	595
	{ Capt. Edw. Berry, }		
Minotaur,	— Thomas Louis,	74	640
Leander,	— T. B. Thompson,	50	343
Swiftsure,	— B. Hallowell,	74	590
Audacious,	— Davidge Gould,	74	590
Defence,	— John Peyton,	74	590
Zealous,	— Samuel Hood,	74	590
Orion,	— Sir James Saumarez,	74	590
Goliath,	— Thomas Foley,	74	590
Majestic,	— Geo. B. Westcott,	74	590
Bellerophon,	— Henry D. E. Darby,	74	590
La Mutine Brig,		14	100

FRENCH LINE.

	Capt.	Men.
Le Guerrier,	74	560
Le Conquerant,	74	700
Le Spartiate,	74	700
L'Aquilon,	74	700
Le Souverain Peuple,	74	700
Le Franklin,	80	810
L'Orient,	120	1010
Le Tonant,	80	800
L'Heureux,	74	700
Le Timoleon,	74	700
Le Mercure,	74	700
Le Guillaume Tell,	80	800
Le Genereux,	74	700
La Diane,	48	300
La Justice,	44	300
L'Artemise,	36	250
La Serieuse,	36	250

Capt. Darby, of the Bellerophon, had intended laying his ship upon the bow of the French Admiral's ship, L'Orient; but, by some accident, the frigate upon her broadside, and, in that situation, she sustained the heavy fire of L'Orient, till that ship blew up.

L'Orient blew up about ten o'clock at night. The Bellerophon was disabled. The Alexander has suffered much both in the action and by the explosion, but nobly bore up for French ships in the rear of their line, which were attacked in succession by our ships, as their opponents had struck in the van.

When the British squadron was standing in the Bay, on the afternoon of the 1st, all the French captains were drinking coffee

with their Admiral, on board L'Orient; and they considered it as so unlikely that their fleet should be attacked in its strong position, that they did not think of returning to their respective ships till our van ship had got well into the Bay.

So little prepared were the French ships on the land side, that even their guns were not fired.

When Le Guillaume Tell and Le Genereux, with the two frigates, fled from the scene of action, the Zealous, commanded by Captain Hood, with a noble ardour pursued them, and was actually firing upon both the line of battle ships, when the Admiral judged it prudent to call him back to the fleet.

LONDON GAZETTE.

DOWNING STREET, October 6. 1798.

By advices received from his Majesty's Minister at Constantinople, dated September 3, it appears, that war has been declared by the Grand Signior against the French; that the French Minister, with his whole Legation, has been sent to the Castle of the Seven Towers, and that some French merchant ships in the harbour had been taken possession of. The Russian auxiliary squadron was in sight of Constantinople on that day.

PLYMOUTH, Oct. 6.

Late on Thursday evening arrived here, his Majesty's ship Grampus, of 54 guns, Capt. Saunderson, and the Procyete, of 32 guns, Capt. Falk, from Jamaica and Cape Nicholas Mole, with 41 sail of ships under convoy, put in here by contrary wind; the other part of the fleet are gone up St. George's Channel, under convoy of the Roebuck, of 24 guns, Capt. Burrows. The Tourterelle, of 32 guns, Captain West, failed from Jamaica with the fleet, but being very leaky, parted company last Friday, to make the best of her way to England. The Chance, of Leith, Capt. Bishop, became so leaky at sea, that the crew were obliged to abandon her, after having set her on fire; except this vessel and another, the whole fleet are said to have reached the Channel.

Came in, the Triton of 32 guns, Capt. Gore from the westward; about a week since she captured a small schooner privateer, which is not yet arrived; but no doubts are entertained for her safety, as the Triton was obliged to leave her, having come express.

On Monday night about six o'clock, as Mr Vernon, of the Treasury, and another gentleman, were travelling in a post-chaise, near Merton turnpike, they were stopped by two footpads, who robbed them of their money and watches, together with two trunks, containing a large quantity of wearing apparel, trinkets and other articles.



OCTOBER 8.

The gallant Admiral Nelson is now on his voyage down the Mediterranean with his prizes. He has left Captain Troubridge, of the Culloden, with six or seven ships, with the command on the coast of Egypt, and the English fleet is moored in Bequieres Bay, in the very position which the French occupied.

Letter from Captain Ball, of his Majesty's ship Alexander, dated Bequiere Road, mouth of the Nile.

"Before this reaches you, you will have heard of the battle of the Nile, for the particulars of which I refer to Sir Horatio Nelson's public letter. I only received a slight wound by a musket ball taking a piece of flesh from my left cheek, which will leave a small scar.—My ship was engaged within pistol shot of L'Orient when she caught fire, after which I increased my distance from her, but could not get far enough to avoid the dreadful effects of her explosion. She set fire to my ship in four places, and nothing but the most wonderful exertions extricated us from that perilous state.

"My ship has received so much damage, that I have not a doubt but she will be in England in two or three months. With respect to our action, I shall only observe, that the Admiral and Captains had a good opinion of each other before the battle, and now we are more attached than ever.

"The Captains have each subscribed 30l. for the widows and orphans of those who fell so gloriously on the 1st of August; and the Admiral has joined, by giving 100l. The Captains have likewise subscribed 20l. a piece for the purchase of a sword, to be presented to Sir Horatio Nelson. We intend to establish an Egyptian Club, to commemorate the Glorious First of August."

Copy of a letter from an officer of the Boadicea, one of the squadron appointed to watch the motions of the French fleet off Brett harbour:

"His Majesty's ship Boadicea, Cawsand Bay, September 28. 1798."

"We are arrived in Cawsand Bay, after a cruise of three months within one day. When I wrote to you last, we had but about seventeen days provisions in the ship, and when we were reduced to four days provisions, it came to blow very hard, so that it was necessary to stand out some distance to sea, the Ethalion, Clyde, and Sylph in company; the sea ran too high to send boats on board these ships, therefore we were obliged to go upon short allowance; this, however, did not last above four days. The weather becoming fine again, we were supplied with provisions from our squadron. At this time we were standing in towards the land, when on Monday the 17th instant, in the morning, at day-light, we found ourselves about three miles, and half distant from a French squadron of men of war, consisting of one sail of the line, seven frigates, and a schooner; the morning was very hazy, and nearly calm; the hands were immediately turned up to make sail away from them. In about an hour a breeze sprang up, and the French squadron hauled away from us, steering S. W. One hour after they altered their course to S. E. We carried a light at our mast-head all the night before, to shew the situation of the Boadicea to our squadron, and from the French squadron being at day-light in chafe of us, suppose they must have seen the light at our mast-head. The Clyde, previously to this, had parted company for England, having in the late bad weather sprung her bow-port. Captain Keats sent the Ethalion and Sylph after the French squadron to watch their motions, with orders to follow them wherever they went, and we stood towards Ushant, in hopes to find Lord Bridport, but unluckily he was with the fleet in Torbay; we fired a volley of seven great guns every ten minutes, to alarm any of our ships that might be near; this was of service, for we brought the Clyde to us again, and which Captain Keats ordered with dispatches to Admiral King. Two days before we came in (the 24th), we looked into Brett, where there were then lying fifteen sail of the line, four frigates, and four corvettes, besides smaller armed vessels."

Extract of a Letter from Captain Bacons, of the Kite ship of war, just arrived from Cuxhaven, dated Yarmouth, Oct. 1.

BUONAPARTE, after having stormed Alexandria, had penetrated as far as Grand Cairo, where he found his situation so unpleasant and dangerous, from the Turks and sick of his army, that he had sent orders for the fleet to hold themselves in readiness to embark the troops. All the transports, and two or three frigates, were in the harbour of Alexandria, where they will either be burnt by us or the Turks; so that I think BUONAPARTE'S conquests are nearly at an end. On their arrival, it was intended to have got all the line of battle ships into the harbour also; but it was found impossible for L'Orient to get in, and the Admiral would not consent to her being sent back to Toulon. They were therefore moored in the bay where they were attacked, and thought themselves so secure that they never had an idea of the British fleet daring to attack them. The French garrison at Alexandria saw the whole of the business, without having it in their power to assist.—Such the action, they intercepted a boat with the dispatches, &c. All the letters, both public and private, are written in very low spirits, every body wishing to return, and the natives are so inveterate against them, that they are obliged to fend an effort of several hundred men with every courier, to prevent his being cut to pieces.

WEYMOUTH, September 6.

This evening the Royal Family honoured the theatre with their presence. As soon as the curtain drew up, Mr Fisher came forward and spoke the following occasional Address on Admiral Nelson's victory:

Another Conquest swells Britannia's fame!
Let grateful Memory wait on Nelson's name:
In distant Seas the conquering Hero shews
How vain the projects of our Gallic foes.
When the glad tidings reach'd the Public ear,
From Beauty's eye distill'd the joyous tear;
Down Manhood's cheek the tide of rapture flow'd,
And every breast with kindling transports glow'd.
Nelson! thy praise from shore to shore shall ring,
Joy to the Nation! joy to England's King!
Such prowess ev'ry tribute justly craves,
E'en Arabs shout, "Britannia rules the Waves."
With well-earn'd laurels grace the Victor's brow,
Recall the deeds of Vincent, Duncan, Howe!
Illustrious Names! to every Briton dear,
Here then, the Altar of our Thanks we'll rear.
Fleets led to battle by such Men as these,
Shall fix in Brunswick's hand the Trident of the Seas.
This address was received with the most rapturous applause. God save the King was then sung, the whole house joining in full chorus.

THIS DAY'S POST.

LONDON—October 8.

The following is an extract of a letter from an Officer of the Vanguard, dated the 13th of August, off the mouth of the Nile:—"The Admiral is in a fair way of recovery; he has a large scar on his forehead, but is an honourable one. Most of our French prizes, with some of our own ships, leave us this day for Gibraltar, or England. We have taken Buonaparte's dispatches, which the Admiral informs me are of the utmost importance. He, and the whole of his army, with themselves back again in France, for the Arabs keep them in perpetual agitation on shore, and we cut them off from all supply by sea; provisions are very scarce with him.

The Star of this morning contains the following paragraph:—

A mail arrived yesterday from Dublin, which brings but little news of importance.—Only Holt still continues to ravage the county of Wicklow and the adjoining borders, and the most melancholy and distressing details arrive from thence every day, of burnings, murders, and other shocking enormities. His force must be more considerable than has been publicly known, otherwise we cannot account for several carts loaded with wounded soldiers having been brought to the Hospital at the Phoenix Park, from the county of Wicklow, and this leader of rebellion not yet vanquished. Colonel Skerrett is preparing to surround him with a formidable force. Lords Powerscourt and Monk are now on their trial by Court Martial; and Colonel Burke and Major Bellew have lately been executed at Sligo for high treason.

In Egypt, and near the Red Sea, all persons supplying the French with provisions, &c. are ordered to be immediately strangled.

the Board... the motions... Cawand Bay, 1798... wrote to you... provisions in the... days prior... it was need... the Ethalon... ran too high... we were ob... however, did... becoming fl... from our squ... in towards the... in the morn... out three mil... of men of fr... en frigates, and... and nearly... ind up to make... a breeze from... away from us... ly altered the... our mast-head... of the Bos... French squadron... ppe they met... Clyde, pres... bow-pnt. Cap... after the French... orders to follow... flood towards... but, unfortun... fired a volley... to alarm any... of service, for... which Cap... Admiral King... th), we look... ing fifteen mil... es, besides small...

No certain intelligence has yet been received respecting the Brest Squadron. The Triton frigate arrived at Plymouth on Saturday, which ship was said to have chased a few days before by two French ships of the line, supposed to be part of the enemy's fleet. Intelligence is said to have been received from Gibraltar, as lately as the 21st of last month, signifying the arrival of a fleet in the Bay, of which four were of war, three of them French prizes, and that others were hourly expected. There had been extraordinary cheering in the garrison for the late naval victory. The negotiators at Rastadt seem now hastening by actual concessions to the conclusion of a peace. The Imperial Deputation has agreed to the unconditional abolition of Ehrenbreitstein, and the French Plenipotentiaries have verbally declared that they do not intend to insist on the surrender of the territory of Kehl and Caill. If we might judge from these proceedings, it should be of opinion that hostilities between France and Germany were not likely to be renewed; but persons of the co-operation of Russia and the Porte will induce the Emperor to try once more the fortune of war. Mr Nelson, the father of the gallant Admiral, resides at Roundwood Farm, near Ipswich, beloved and respected by his neighbours. Lady Nelson, since the absence of her husband, has dwelt with him. The Mayor of Dorchester would not permit any illuminations to take place on the night of the intelligence of Admiral Nelson's victory being received, and ordered a double number of constables to keep the peace; but, notwithstanding their care, the mob on the next night broke all the windows of those houses whose inhabitants would not illuminate on the occasion. A letter from an officer in Buonaparte's army, dated from Cairo the 27th or 28th of July, to a friend in the city of Italy, represents Buonaparte's enterprise in a new point of view.—According to this letter, inserted in the Milan papers, it appears, that the French Government has long ago had connections with the chiefs of some Arabian tribes, between Chetta and the Gulf of Arabia. A Sheikh in that country has founded a new religious sect, within these five or six years, professing Deism, worshipping God in the open air, and addicted to the religion prevailing in those parts, before Mahomet was born. The name of this Sheikh is Hajabi; he denies the mission of Mahomet, the divine origin of the Koran, the necessity of having Mosques, and means to restore religion to its pristine simplicity, as in Abraham's time. Hajabi's father, who is still alive, and near 100 years old, is the real founder of this new religious system, which he first introduced among his family, afterwards among his tribe, and which was since embraced by several other chiefs in Arabia Felix. It now has a vast number of adherents on the Western coasts of the Gulf of Persia, from Mofcate as far as Baffora. In this capital of ancient Chaldea, the country of Abraham, the Sheikh Hajabi has conceived the project of introducing his Patriarchal religion, to the profession of which he invites Mahometans, Jews, and even Christians; this sect has also made some progress from the side of Mecca and Medina. Certain it is, that the new believers have collected from different parts of Arabia, and are now forming an army, which has made itself master of the rivers Euphrates and Tigris, above Baffora, and is thought to have plans of conquest upon Persia.—Plans with which Buonaparte acts in concert. The tenets of the Theophilanthropists of France bear resemblance to the doctrines of the Hajabites; on this circumstance is founded the connection which subsists between the soi-disant Patriarch and the Republican Chief; the latter of whom has concluded treaties of friendship, &c. with several Arabic Chiefs in Egypt. Mr Holcroft, who has been so frequently put to death in the different newspapers, is at length recovered from a late severe indisposition.

VIENNA, Sept. 19.

Ibrahim Afef Effendi, the Turkish Ambassador to this Court, has received dispatches, which announce, at in consequence of a conversation between the Russian Minister, General Tamarra, and the Reis Effendi, Russian Squadron, consisting of twelve sail of the line and six frigates, and having on board about 5000 troops, the 1st inst. arrived in the Canal of the Porte, and preceded the same day through the Dardanelles into the Archipelago. This fleet came from Sabastopol, and agreeable to the above-mentioned stipulation, passed the fraglio two by two, and were not allowed to form a junction until they had passed the forts of the Dardanelles. The Russian officers were, during their short stay at Constantinople, received by the Ottoman Government with the most flattering expressions of friendship and respect. Corsia is stated as the first object of attack, and after the reduction of the other ci-devant Venetian Islands, Malta is to be invested. Great changes are expected to take place in Italy, Dalmatia, and the Levant. In the recent memorable action near Alexandria, the French in the onset, fought with great gallantry; but Admiral Nelson having succeeded in cutting them off from the shore, and taking them almost in the centre, they were thrown into confusion and dismay. The harbours and coasts in the kingdoms of Naples and Sicily are in the best state of defence, and the further preparations are continued with the greatest vigour, and without the smallest difficulty. The land forces are considerably increased, and are reinforced every day, chiefly by volunteers. It is now known, that before Buonaparte landed in Egypt, several convoys were sent by England to the principal cities, to inform the inhabitants of the designs of the French. The Egyptians are preparing to rise in a mass against Buonaparte's troops. The Pacha of Syria distinguishes himself by his attachment to the Porte, and by using all his endeavours to irritate the inhabitants against the French; and to encourage the Pachas to follow his example, he has collected a large body of horse to oppose the Republicans. The Court Gazette of the 22d contains a summary account of Admiral Nelson's battle, which agrees exactly with that in the London Gazette, it having been received from Captain Capel, who passed through Vienna, on his way to England, with his dispatches. It concludes with the following particulars: "The French had a bomb battery at the point of Abukir. According to the account of the French Commissioners, the French fleet lost in killed, drowned and

burnt, 5,225 men, and according to the account of the British Commissioners 3705 in prisoners. "Admiral Nelson has sent the captured ships to Gibraltar, and is blocking up the harbour of Alexandria, in which two ships of war, formerly Venetian, and all the transports have taken refuge. Mrs Siddons netted 244l. 4s. 9d. at Brighton, and Bannister 153l. 2s. The average price of Sugar, computed from the returns made in the week ending the 3d day of October 1798, is Sixty-six Shillings and Seven Pence per Cwt.—exclusive of the duty of Customs paid or payable thereon on the importation thereof into Great Britain.

BRITISH NAVY.

Monthly Statement of the Distribution of the British Naval Force, exclusive of the Hired Armed Vessels, which are chiefly employed in protecting the Coasting Trade.

	Line.	50's.	Frig.	Sloop.	Tot.
In Port and fitting	25	4	47	141	217
Guard-ships, Hospital-ships, and Prison-ships, at the several Ports	30	2	2	0	34
In the English and Irish Channels	22	3	43	59	127
In the Downs and North Seas	10	4	14	34	62
At the West India Islands, and on the passage	3	1	20	31	55
At Jamaica	7	1	9	9	26
In America and at Newfoundland	3	1	8	7	19
Cape of Good Hope, East Indies, &c. on the passage	8	4	13	15	40
Coast of Africa	0	0	2	0	2
Coast of Portugal, Gibraltar, and Mediterranean	33	2	20	13	72
Total in Commission	143	22	178	309	652
Receiving ships	9	1	5	0	15
Serviceable and, repairing for service	2	0	2	1	5
In ordinary	21	1	27	40	89
Building	14	2	10	3	29
Total	189	26	224	352	789

STATE OF THE ORDINARY AT EACH PORT.

	Line.	50's.	Frig.	Sloop.	Tot.
Portsmouth	14	0	13	18	45
Plymouth	9	0	9	9	27
Chatham	10	1	0	1	12
Sheerness	0	1	4	5	10
River	0	0	6	9	15
Total	33	2	34	42	109

LONDON.

ENTERED INWARDS.

Oct. 2 Dundee and Perth—Lady Stornoway, George Todd—Booness—Polly, William Honeyman—Derwick and Leith—Neptune, Joseph Hall—Leith—Hope, John Charteris. Oct. 4 Dundee—Dundee Packet, Alexander Ross—Derwick—James, George Allardice—Aberdeen—Favourite, Andrew Thomson.

—CLEARED OUTWARDS—

Oct. 3 Inverness—Calloden, Wm. Miller. Berwick and Leith—Hazard, A. Cleghorn. Aberdeen—Friendship, Wm. Milne. Oct. 6 Leith—Leith Packet, Wm. Scott; Neptune, R. Hall—Derwick and Leith—Lizard, James Russell—Aberdeen—Happy Return, Wm. Robinson.

CORN EXCHANGE, Oct. 8.

We had a moderate supply of Wheat to-day; and, although the general quality was rather inferior, prices held fully up, and it seems as if the finest sorts would maintain price till the sowing season is over. We had not much Barley fresh in; but, as the supply last week was rather large, the market closed at nearly 1s. per quarter declension from last Monday; and Malt is very dull and cheaper. The dealers being disappointed in their expectations of a foreign supply of Oats, they recovered in all respects what they lost on Friday. A foreign arrival, however, is likely to come in by the first favourable wind. Tick Beans continue much the same; but Boiling Peas are considerably lower.

	s.	d.		s.	d.
English Wheat,	35	40	Malt,	37	30
Elfen,	30	31	Finest,	40	42
Burley,	27	29	Oats,	22	24
Finest New,	30	0	Meal,	24	28
Finest Flour,	43	45			

—STOCKS—

This day (Oct. 8.) at twelve o'clock, 3 per cent. con. 51½.

Caledonian Mercury.

EDINBURGH—OCTOBER 11.

At the usual hour of putting the first part of this paper to press, an accident happened by which the types were thrown down, the whole of which consisted of advertisements. This we hope will plead our apology with those advertising friends who are thus disappointed. Their favours shall be attended to in Saturday's paper.

WHITEHALL, October 6. 1798.

THE King has been pleased to grant the dignity of a Baron of the kingdom of Great Britain to Sir Horatio Nelson, K. B. Rear-Admiral of the Blue Squadron of his Majesty's fleet, and the heirs-male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, title, and title of Baron Nelson of the Nile, and of Burnham Thorpe, in the county of Norfolk.

The London papers received this morning do not contain a single paragraph of importance, if we except what follows: An express arrived at Yarmouth on Thursday, for Admiral Lord DUNCAN to sail immediately, in consequence of a report of the Dutch fleet being out.—The wind was at east, the noble Admiral worked out in less than two hours. It is said, that some fresh accounts have been received from the squadron under the command of Sir John Borlase Warren, who was left in pursuit of the fleet which lately failed from Brest, determined to bring them to action, let their destination be wherever it might. Admiral, now Baron NELSON of the Nile, is the son of the Rev. Mr NELSON, Rector, Burnham Thorpe, near Holkham, in Norfolk, and is said to be related to the WALPOLE family. Admiral Nelson entered early into the service, was a Lieutenant in 1777, and a Post Captain in 1779. Lady NELSON was the widow of a West Indian Gentleman, and niece to Mr HERRERT, late Governor of Nevis, where she was married to Sir HORATIO, and given away by the Duke of CLARENCE. Nothing, it seems, can exceed the chagrin of Captain TROWBRIDGE on the accident, occasioned, in some measure, by extreme ardour, which ran the Culoden on shore, and deprived him of the share which he would otherwise have had in the danger and glory of the battle. The accident, however, may in some respects have been propitious, as it was a guide to the other ships of the division, how nearly they could approach.

Yesterday was married here GEORGE GIBSON, Esq. of Brewlands, to Miss JESSY WIGHTMAN, youngest daughter of JOHN WIGHTMAN, Esq. late of Mauldley. On the 8th instant was married at Elgin, SAMUEL MADDEN, Esq. Captain in the 15th foot, to Miss MARGARET CUMMING, eldest daughter of Colonel Cumming Gordon of Altyre. Married at Leith, on the 9th instant, Mr ALEXANDER GEORGE MILNE, merchant, to Miss MARGARET OGILVIE, eldest daughter of the late Captain Ogilvie, of his Majesty's Excise yacht. Tuesday last Mrs DUNDAS of Arncliffe was safely delivered of a son, at Melville Castle. Died at Ramoir, the 29th September last, JOHN HOGG, Esq. of Ramoir, aged 64 years. Died on Thursday last at Belfast, Ireland, the Rev. BELLINGHAM SWAN, aged 102 years, he was curate to Dean Swift. Notwithstanding his great age, he retained his faculties to the last hour of his existence. Mrs DAVIDSON, wife of the Rev. Doctor DAVIDSON, Principal of Glasgow College, died there on the 5th current. Died at his house in Leith, the 29th ult. Mr JAMES RENNIE, jun. merchant there. Yesterday, Lieut. TRENCH of the Artillery Company of the Shropshire Regiment of Militia, was interred here with military honours. The officers surrounded the pall, and the regiment walked in solemn flow procession from the Cattle to the place of interment; the music playing the usual solemn airs. This gentleman, unfortunately fell from his horse a few days ago, and received a contusion which occasioned his death. He was universally esteemed, and his death is much regretted. Yesterday, the Lord Provost, Magistrates and Council, appointed WILLIAM DALRYMPLE, Esq. to be Admiral of Leith, THOMAS SMITH, Esq. Baron Bailie of Canongate, WILLIAM HALL, Esq. Baron Bailie of Portsburgh. Yesterday the Magistrates and Council of Edinburgh resolved to transmit a Congratulatory Address to his Majesty on the late glorious victory of his Majesty's fleet under the command of Admiral Lord NELSON of the Nile; and have requested a meeting of the principal inhabitants, relative to the opening a subscription for relief of the widows, families, and relatives, of the seamen and marines killed or wounded on board Lord NELSON's fleet. And authorised the Lord Provost, in name of the community, to subscribe 100 guineas. This being the eleventh of October, is the anniversary of Lord DUNCAN's victory over the Dutch fleet. Every Briton will certainly consider it as a day dear in the annals of his country; and his Lordship made it so dear a day to the Dutch, that it is not likely they will soon forget it. Monday arrived at Dumbreck's Hotel, St Andrew's Square, the Earl and Countess of SUFFOLK, with the Hon. THOMAS and Lady KATHARINE HOWARD; General and Mrs FORBES, from India; Mrs General ROSS, and Mr and Mrs CUMMING, from Demarara. Thursday, the Rev. Mr JAMES BURNS was ordained one of the Ministers of the city and parish of Brechin, in the place of the Rev. Mr Bisset, deceased. In the list of subscribers to the Northern Infirmary formerly advertised, the name of EVAN BAILLIE, Esq. of Britfol, for 100l. was omitted. Mr RAEBURN has just finished a very striking portrait of Mr ELDER, which was painted at the particular request of the Senate Academica of the University of Edinburgh. It is to be hung up in the hall of the new college, of which he laid the foundation when first time Lord Provost of this city. It is with pleasure we remark, that the merits of this deserving magistrate, who distinguished himself so peculiarly in the preservation of the public peace, has been recognized by this learned and respectable body. Tuesday night a fire was discovered in the Pylades sloop of war, now in the Roads, which happily was got under. The Naval Office lighter went off and brought ashore the gun-powder. On Thursday, the ANGUS FENCIBLES marched from Banff to Peterhead; and fame day came into Banff, the ROSS-SHIRE MILITIA, where, we hear, they are to remain all winter. At a very numerous meeting of the Justices of Peace, Commissioners of Supply, and Heritors of the county of Berwick, at their Michaelmas Head-Court, a motion having been made, and seconded, "that it should be recommended to the Member of Parliament for the county, to take all the means in his power to promote the substitution of a Tax on income, instead of the increase of the assessed taxes established during the last session of Parliament,"—the same was, after a very full discussion, unanimously agreed to; and Mr HAY, their Preses, was requested to signify this resolution to Mr BAILLIE, their representative in Parliament. The Aurora, of Lynn, failed from Hull on the morning of the 27th ult. with a cargo of butter, cheese, and bacon; on that awful night, off Ichna, near the port of her destination, she was unfortunately lost, and all on board, consisting of her crew, five in number, and seven passengers, perished!—The vessel had on board an iron vat, or boiler, nine feet high from the surface of the deck, and in diameter reaching from maff to maff; which, it is supposed, was the chief cause of this deplorable accident. As a proof of the very high opinion entertained by the Captains and Officers of Admiral Nelson's fleet of his gallantry and professional skill, the Captains have subscribed 20 guineas each to purchase a sword, which is to be presented by them to their noble Commander. By a letter from Forfar, we are informed, that the LOYAL FORFAR VOLUNTEERS, on the 8th current, fired three volleys at the Cross at twelve o'clock noon, in honour of the signal victory obtained by the British fleet, under the command of Admiral Sir HORATIO NELSON, over the French fleet on the 1st of August last. It is impossible for us to insert all the details of rejoicings on account of Admiral NELSON's victory, that have been sent us from different parts of the country. Suffice it to say, that one sentiment of gratitude and joy seems to have animated the whole inhabitants of Scotland. Sir SIDNEY SMITH is appointed to act with the Russian fleet in the Mediterranean, and has failed in the Tigre of 80 guns, for that purpose. The wife of a very respectable farmer, at Horkesley, near Colchester, was lately stung on her hand by a wasp; and notwithstanding the assistance of a neighbouring surgeon was early procured, every effort for relief proved in vain—the languished some hours, and then expired in great agonies.

REJOICINGS FOR ADMIRAL NELSON'S VICTORY.

STIRLING, OCT. 6. 1798.

On the arrival of the Gazette, yesterday afternoon, announcing the brilliant conquest by Sir H. NELSON over the French fleet, the bells were instantly rung. To-day the guns of the Castle were fired; the Volunteers formed at the cross, and the Perthshire militia, on the glacis of the fort, fired a feu-de-joye. The two corps marched to church, and joined the Chaplain of the Volunteers in singing psalms, and offering up a prayer of thanksgiving to "Almighty God for blessing his Majesty's arms in so great a victory." In the evening a general illumination and ringing of bells concluded the celebrations of the glorious first of August.

ALLOA, OCT. 6. 1798.

The news of Admiral NELSON's glorious and most decisive victory was received here yesterday, with the greatest heartfelt satisfaction and joy. In the evening, the town was illuminated, and there was a meeting of a number of respectable inhabitants, who drank the health of the brave Admiral, his officers and sailors, who so gallantly stood forth in defence of their King and country. This day, the Ross-shire Fencibles, commanded by Captain MACKENZIE, were drawn up, and fired a feu-de-joye; and Mr ERASME of Mar has caused a very large bon-fire to be placed upon the highest ground of his estate.

LANARK, OCT. 8.

Amid the prevailing emulation in rejoicing at Admiral NELSON's glorious victory, I hope you will think the efforts of the ancient burgh of Lanark deserving of notice. Upon Saturday evening last, at five o'clock, a detachment of the Loyal Lanark Volunteers, commanded by Provost VANK, their Captain, were drawn up at the Clydesdale Inn, whence they proceeded to the Cross, and fired three rounds. Two field-pieces from Mr DALE's mills made their entrance at the head of the town, and after firing a salute, they advanced to the Cross, where they fired twenty-one rounds. At six o'clock, the town was very grandly illuminated, when the Magistrates and Council, together with a very large and respectable meeting of the inhabitants, repaired to the county-hall, and drank a great many appropriate toasts with repeated shouts of applause. The evening was spent with the utmost harmony, good humour and conviviality. The town and mills of New Lanark were also illuminated. The children boarded by Mr Dale at the works, amounting to upwards of four hundred, had a glass and a dance upon the occasion, and the young creatures seemed to participate in the general joy.

IRVINE, OCTOBER 8.

A confirmation of the late glorious and unparalleled victory obtained by Admiral NELSON over the Toulon fleet, no sooner reached Irvine on Friday last, than the bells were set a-ringing. Soon after the town was elegantly illuminated, and crowds of the inhabitants of every age and condition, paraded the streets with real heart-felt joy and loyalty expressed in every countenance; and, on Saturday, part of the First, or Strathpey fencible regiment, quartered there, with their colours, and two battalion guns attached to the regiment, followed by the Irvine Volunteers, marched from the cross to a field adjoining to the town, where they drew up, with one gun on each flank, and fired twenty-one rounds of the guns, in the intervals of every seven whereof a volley of small arms was fired; they then returned to the cross, formed the circle, and drank the usual loyal toasts, including that of the great and joyous occasion, with repeated cheers, occasionally dancing some Highland reels with great glee, surrounded by a cheerful and happy concourse of inhabitants. The magistrates, officers, and some others, thereafter dined together, and spent the evening in joy and harmony. The delightful serenity of the weather, the glorious occasion, and all other circumstances united, conspired not only in giving general joy, but also to excite, in the heart of every person present, true gratitude to the Great Giver of all good, for the late and other recent successes of his Majesty's arms, over our inveterate foes.

Nothing could exceed the joy and exultation of the inhabitants of ARBROATH, on hearing the news of the glorious victory obtained by Admiral NELSON, over the French fleet. On Saturday, at twelve o'clock noon, a royal salute was fired from the Battery, and the Volunteers turned out, and fired a feu-de-joye. An entertainment was given, in the evening, in the Town-hall, to which the officers of a troop of the Windsor Foresters (who arrived late in the afternoon) were invited, and the health of the gallant Admiral, and his brave fellows, went cheerfully round.

SONG.

Tune—"In the garb of Old Gaul."

BRITANNIA thy heroes bring forth in array,
Thy Rodneys, thy Howes, and St Vincent display;
Let Duncan appear and let Nelson advance—
They each beat the foe, Spain, Holland, or France.

CHORUS.

Then let all Britons honour their noble sons of war,
Who plow the deep, who laurels reap, and bring them from afar;
And to surrounding nations tell BRITANNIA firm shall stand,
For of the main great Neptune gave to her the sole command.

Brave Rodney taught France, when De Grasse did oppose,
To capture those laurels which Britons admire,
That long as he liv'd he'd dispute for this palm;
So he took it, and kept it, his name to emblaze.

Then let, &c.

The FAME on European sets did by chime
Their empire to have and still to retain;
Brave Howe said the Trident in Gaoor's great name,
And said for his sake he would still keep the same.

Then let, &c.

Proud Spain then determin'd BRITANNIA to meet,
And wrest from her arm the command of the deep;
But St VINCENT came forth, and made Spain soon to know,
He had laurels fresh to enwreive BRITANNIA's brow.

Then let, &c.

The Dutch then came out, and full bold on their shore
Swore they'd take all those laurels BRITANNIA now wore.
On their mast plac'd a broom, which they vow'd would soon sweep
BRITANNIA's brave sons from the face of the deep.

Then let, &c.

BRITANNIA told DUNCAN this news in detail;
He instantly call'd out "Cut cables and sail!"
De WINTER he met, and fought with renown,
And beat him and captiv'd him off Camperdown.

Then let, &c.

Near Egyptian shores the French tri'd once again
The command of the seas from BRITANNIA to gain;
Brave NELSON would not the bold combat decline—
So he fought them, and captiv'd nine sail of the line.

Then let, &c.

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